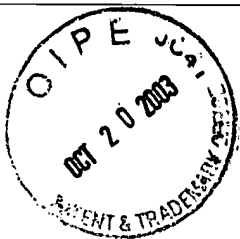


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RESPONSE

Sir:

This Amendment is in response to the first Office Action mailed August 20, 2003, for which a thirty-day period for response was set to September 20, 2003. A petition for a one-month extension is filed herewith.

The Examiner placed the following restriction:

Group I, claims 1-26, drawn to a method for the production of a polymer having at least one unit that contains at least one cyclopentanone structure condensed with at least two aromatic rings, classified in class 205, subclass 429; and

Group II, claims 27-32, drawn to a polymer and a light-emitting diode, classified in class 568, subclass 379;